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THEATRES.

TEATRO DE LA OPERA—Empresario A. Ferrari. Temporada de 1897. Gran compañía lírica italiana. Maestro Conductor y Director de Orquesta, Comm. Edoardo Maccheroni.

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Sábado 5—Bocaccio.

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Id id id id choleco cruzado, \$55.00.
Id id id id azul y negro id id \$45.00.
Id id id id id id id id id id \$55.00.
Id id id id id id id id id id \$55.00.
Saco y chaleco, el saco cruzado, vista de
seda \$58.00.
Id id id id id id id id id id \$45.

The Standard
Nil fuit audeam nil veri non audeam dicere.
CICERO.
SATURDAY, JUNE 5TH, 1897

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.
Barometer, Thermometer-Centigrade
Maximum Minimum Average
6 a.m. 765 22 12 17
8 p.m. 768 22 12 17
6 p.m. 766

Special Telegram.
TO
STANDARD.

Montevideo, 4th.
To-day has been the noisiest I have
known in Montevideo. The row began
about eight o'clock in the morning when
U.S.S. Lancaster arrived and saluted the
fort and the Chilean squadron, both of
which immediately returned the salutes.
Then at ten the President accompanied by
his ministers and a suite of officers and
functionaries numbering about thirty,
embarked on the State barge and the
steamer General Lavalleja with a band of
music, and went on board the Uruguayan
gunboat Suarez which conveyed them to
the Chilean flag-ship Esmeralda.
Then the firing began in earnest. If the
Blanco rebels had been bombarding the
town they would not have made so much
noise. All the warships in port saluted
the President, and the Suarez and the
Cerro fort blazed away in answer. At
first there was some semblance of firing
salute for salute, but it finished with a
general "load up and fire away boys as
fast as you can," until, as the President
reached the Esmeralda, that vessel fired an
salute of 100 guns, which was duly an-
swered. If there are any ear trumpets for
sale in your town send them over; they
will find a ready sale amongst the sea-
faring officials. Admiral Goni, just back
from Buenos Aires, surrounded by his
staff, received the President as he came
on board, while the sailors manned the
yards and gave cheers for the President,
and the band of music played the National
Hymn.

I forgot to say that the Oriental sailors
returned the cheers of the Chileans. The
company then adjourned to the salon
where Admiral Goni drank to the health
of President Borda and the prompt pa-
cification of Uruguay. President replied
with a eulogy of Chile. The Esmeralda
was then visited throughout by the
Presidential party and at half past one they
left the Suarez manoeuvring round the
Esmeralda and the cheers, national hymns,
etc., being repeated. The salutes were
again fired as they returned to shore. A
statistical friend estimates at many thousand
dollars the value of the powder burned
in honor of the occasion. At half
past two the Chilean fleet sailed away.
Once on shore the presidential party ex-
perienced the pangs of hunger sharpened
by the sea air and the Chilean champagne,
and the whole party made straight for
mine host Charpentier who proved
himself (or rather herself for Charpentier
being in Buenos Aires Mrs Charpentier
did the honors) quite equal to the unex-
pected onslaught on the larder and the
President offered a succulent breakfast to
his suite. It has been said that taking
meal was only a pretext, on the part of
the Chileans, for visiting the port, but I
am informed that Messrs Wilson supplied
them with coal.

Near Paysandú the Blancos made an
attempt to blow up with dynamite a
train conveying 8 companies of the 4th
of Cazadores from Tacuarembó. Fortu-
nately the prefect Sr. Giffra, had the
fore-sight to send an engine over the line
before the train. As it passed the Cur-
tiembre bridge the rebels fired a torpedo

placed on the bridge: as there was no
train behind the locomotive the explosion
did little damage to either engine or
bridge. Owing to darkness of night the
conspirators did not see that it was as
engine alone but fancied that it was the
train with the troops.

Early in month Mr. William Christo-
phersen is to be married to Miss Esther
Barlucea in Rosario de Santa Fé.

While tooling with their Mausers one
soldier was fatally shot by another.

A lady, who gave \$15,000 to a well-
known "caballero" to contribute to the
Blanco Committee in your city, is com-
plaining that both "caballero" and cash
have disappeared.

Dr. J. C. Dillon, representing the firm of
Frederic steamers of New York, is here
on his way to Rio.

The principal persons of the Independent
Colorado party are endeavouring to ar-
range a peace between Colorados and
Blancos.

Dr. Sanarelli's conference on the yellow
fever microbe is now fixed for the 10th.

A capital "coquille" is made by the
Catholic paper *El Bien*, which speaks of
Saint Anthony as a famous dramatist,
doubtless meaning a famous thaumatur-
gist—in Spanish dramaturgo for tana-
turgo.

Stand-by O'Gorman.

(Per Havas Agency.)

Progress of Peace Negotiations.

Probable resignation of General Weyler.

Sagasta asked to form a Ministry.

Canada and the Mother Country.

A Negro lynched in the States.

President Faure's visit to France.

London, 4th.—The Marquis of Caste-
lucio, daughter and servants embarked
for B. Aires to-day in the German mail
boat Pfalz.

Constantinople, 4th.—The Ambassadors
of the Great Powers have decided to
send the Sultan a note to-morrow refer-
ring to the conclusion of peace between
Turkey and Greece. The Russian Am-
bassador has been entrusted with drawing
up the paragraphs referring to the fix-
ing of the boundaries, while the French
Ambassador will draw up the part of
the note with regard to the conditions
for Greek subjects resident in Turkey.
The British Ambassador will fix the in-
demnities which the Greek Government is
to pay Turkey.

Madrid, 4th.—The Cabinet crisis con-
tinues. Canovas del Castillo's political friends
are urging him to remain in power. The
organization of a Liberal Government does
not for the present seem probable.

London, 4th.—Telegrams from Ottawa
report that the Canadian Senate has
voted a motion asking the Parliament to
seize the opportunity offered by Queen Victoria's
Diamond Jubilee as a means of binding
Great Britain and Canada more closely.

Madrid, 4th.—Marshall Martinez Campos
arrived here this afternoon, and im-
mediately went to see the Queen Regent,
with whom he had a long interview, but
nothing is known about it. The Cabinet
crisis continues, and there are all sorts of
rumours about it.

Athens, 4th.—A Mass was celebrated
here this morning for the souls of the
foreign volunteers killed in the war.
King George sent an aide-de-camp to re-
present him. Premier Ralli, the Cabinet
Ministers, Diplomatic Corps and all the
high functionaries were present.

Berlin, 4th.—The trial of Tausch and
Lustnow for defamation and revelation of
State secrets came on to-day.
The first was acquitted, and the second
condemned to two months imprisonment.

New York, 4th.—At Urbana, in Ohio,
to-day, a mob lynched a negro for criminal
assault on a young white woman.

Vienna, 4th.—Telegrams from Constan-
tinople say that Turkey insists on the
blockade of Volo being raised, during the
armistice. The Greek Government agrees
to this, provided the vessels entering the
port be first searched by the Greek men-
of-war, to see if they carry arms for the
Turkish troops.

Manilla, 4th.—The insurrection continues
to lose ground, and large numbers of re-
bels lay down their arms daily. Those
still in arms are demoralized and in want
of both food and ammunition.

Havana, 4th.—The strike of hackney
cabs and the present agreement. The
depreciation of paper money, came to an
end to-day, their employers having agreed
to increase their wages.

Rome, 4th.—The Budget was voted to-day
with some slight alterations. The Finance
Minister, Luzzatti, congratulated the House
on the improvement in the finances pre-
dicted by him, and said he felt sure it
would continue.

Montevideo, 4th.—Telegrams received
to-day from Paysandú report that Blanco
rebels have blown up the bridge of Cur-
tiembre near that town, with dynamite.
The origin of this outrage is that the
Blancos wished to blow up a train with
Government troops and which was timed
to pass over the bridge of Curtiembre at
2 o'clock on the morning of the 2nd inst.
Fortunately the Commander of the troops
sent a pilot engine along the line a few
hours previously. The engine driver pulled
up a few yards away and found the bridge
a mass of ruins. The neighbourhood was
shook by the terrific explosion which shook
the very foundations of houses, thousands
of yards around.

THIS MORNING'S TELEGRAMS.

(Received after Midnight.)

Paris, 4th.—The Russian Embassy in
this capital has been officially informed
that President Faure will, on the 25th
July, leave Paris for St. Petersburg on a
visit to the Emperor Nicholas.

Havana, 4th.—General Weyler return-
ed here to-day. A persistent rumour is
current that he will resign the military
Governorship of Cuba in consequence of
the fall of the Cánovas del Castillo
Cabinet.

Madrid, 4th.—It is said that the Queen
Regent has asked Señor Sagasta to form a
new Ministry.

Madrid, 4th.—Sagasta has told the
Queen that the Liberal party are con-
fident that, should they come into power,
they will be able to restore peace to
Cuba.

THE BUENOS AIRES DEBT

We had the pleasure of a conversation
to-day with the Finance Minister on
the subject of the debts of the pro-
vinces, and H. E. told us that the Gov-
ernment intends to take the question
in hand at once, beginning with the
provinces that already have made pri-
vate arrangements with their cre-
ditors. The President of the Republic
and the Finance Minister are both
determined that the National Treasury
shall not be burdened with a single
dollar more, and that the arrangements
shall be made on the basis of what-
ever solid security the provinces can
give to the National Government.

STANDARD ON CHARGE, 3rd inst.

After penning the above we are not
surprised to read in the columns of our
colleagues, in their echoes from the Gov-
ernment House, that most favorable ru-
mors are circulated with regard to the
settlement of the Buenos Ayres foreign
debt; that both the President of the Re-
public and the Minister of Finance are
now convinced of the excellence of the
guarantees that the province can offer the
Nation, and are inclined to endorse the
"ad referendum" agreement between the
province and its creditors, viz:—

Art. 1st.—The province of Buenos Ayres
shall hand to Messrs. Baring Bros.,
and Co., the Deutsche Bank of Ber-
lin, Martin G. Rose and Co., and
Stern Bros., or the person or per-
sons the above may appoint, in pay-
ment of and complete liquidation of
the following loans:—
6th July 1881..... 20,615,432\$
26th March 1881..... 1,550,000\$
7th August 1883..... 11,850,668\$
25th April 1885..... 12,611,521\$
on the head of capital due and of
interests accrued and unpaid up to
1st July 1897, a General Bond
of Foreign Debt of the Nation for
the amount of \$85,000,000% gold,
or the equivalent thereof in bills,
marks or francs, bearing 4% in-
terest per annum, and 1/2% amorti-
zation per annum cumulative, by
drawings or tender, at the leisure
of the Government, which may at
any time increase the sinking fund.

Art. 2nd.—This payment shall wipe out
all debts arising from the above
loans and all claims arising there-
from against the Province, also all
mortgages or guarantees affected
by those loans, hereby cancelled,
and from date of delivery of the
General Bond, the Province shall
be at liberty to dispose of them un-
trammelled and uncontrolled.

Art. 3rd.—The sums that the Province shall
hand to the Nation for the service
of this loan and whatever special
guarantee it may give for same,
shall be considered attached to the
Nation for the service of this loan.

Art. 4th.—The bonds of National Debt
that the Province shall deliver
shall be considered always on a
parity of any other bond of National
Debt, and subject to and comprised
within any conversion of bonds that
the Congress of the Nation may
order and that applies to the whole
National Debt. In case of unifica-
tion of the whole National Debt in
bonds of 4% and 1/2% interest (?)
these shall be exchanged at par
with the bonds of the present con-
tract.

Art. 5th.—Once the bankers hold the final
bonds of this loan they shall sum-
mon publicly in the papers in Lon-
don, Paris, and Berlin, all the bond-
holders of the four loans mentioned
above, to carry out the exchange of
bonds according to this agreement,
and they shall fix a term of three
months for this operation. Should,
after the lapse of this term of three
months, there remain any bonds
not presented for exchange, the
bankers shall deposit to the order
of the Government of the Province,
in the Bank or Banks that it may
select, the amount of bonds of the
New Loan that represents the
amount of bonds not presented for
exchange.

Art. 6th.—The issuing houses, mentioned
in Art. 1st; shall call a General
Assembly of bondholders of those
loans and shall submit to their ap-
proval the present agreement. The
approval shall be given by the
holders of bonds after the Executive
Power shall have been authorized
by the Honorable Legislative Cham-
bers to draw up this contract, and
before it is submitted to the Hon-
orable Congress of the Nation for ap-
proval in those clauses that come
under its consideration.

Art. 7th.—The Province of Buenos Ayres
shall not pay any commission what-
ever on the issue of the new bonds,
nor on withdrawal or conversion of
the old bonds, nor on account of
the present negotiation. It shall
only pay the cost of printing the
new bonds and the taxes on issue,
should any exist. The bankers
mentioned above are authorized to
order the printing of those bonds
immediately after receiving the Gen-
eral Bond, and the Government
of the Nation shall at the time
name those who are to sign them.

Art. 8th.—The service on those bonds shall
be effected through the banking
houses that sign this contract, and
in the proportion to which they may
be entitled in the distribution of
the 35,000,000\$, and the Govern-
ment shall pay them for their ser-
vice the ordinary commission of
1/2% on the payment of interest
and 1/2% on that of amortization.

The above is "ad pedem litterarum," ex-
cepting two notes of interrogation which
we have affixed where there are errors
of name or diction. This is the agree-
ment which when first presented to the
notice of the National Government not
three months ago met with a cold recep-
tion from both the President and his Min-
ister of Finance. However, since then
the Governor of the Province has opened
his Legislature and delivered his Address,
wherein he dwells at length on a surplus
of 30% in the Budget of 1896. It is pro-
bably this surplus that has now dazzled
the National Government and turned the

current of opinion in the Cabinet. We,
for our part, cling to the conviction that
the National Government is bound to
first consider the settlements of those pro-
vinces that have National 4% gold
guarantee bonds, issued to start the cele-
brated Free Banks. Santa Fé, Entre Rios,
Corrientes, San Luis, Mendoza, Tucuman,
etc., etc., who own such national
bonds are entitled to preference over
Buenos Ayres and Cordoba, which do not
possess any such national guarantee at
the back of their foreign loans.
When the foreign debt settlements
of what we may term the privileged pro-
vinces have been discussed, then let
Cordoba and Buenos Aires take their turn
before Congress.

The only claims that the Province of
Buenos Aires can urge on the National
Government are of a political or senti-
mental order, and it is but a sense of fair
play that prompts us to recommend the
discussion of bona-fide financial claims
before those of La Plata. We do not
doubt that at the present moment the
Province of Buenos Aires can meet the
service on the 35,000,000\$ National Bonds,
but nobody knows what changes are
ahead; and no matter how we may look
at this La Plata proposal, we find that
it resolves itself into an appeal to the
generosity of the Nation. Meantime, com-
mon prudence advises Minister Escalante
to first take up the settlements of those
provinces that can yet fall back on the
National Bonds of the Free Banking Act;
when these are settled, the Minister may
see a little clearer through this fog of
provincial indebtedness and discredit.

**THE UNITED STATES, SPAIN
AND CUBA.**

Telegrams from Madrid, and from New
York and Washington, treat of the Spanish
Cabinet crisis, the Cuban revolution, and
the attitude of the United States towards
Spain at great length, and a variety of
opinions are put forward.

From Madrid comes word that at a
Cabinet meeting presided over by the
Queen Regent, Premier Canovas del Cas-
tallo explained that the revolution in the
Philippine Islands was practically at an
end and the return of some of the troops
from that colony would at once begin. In
Cuba, General Weyler was at the head
of fresh columns of troops ready to
stamp out the rebellion in the Eastern
part of the island. He admitted that the
economic condition of the island was very
bad, the paper money causing much
trouble. He also gave it as his opinion
the opinion of President McKinley in re-
gard to the revolution was favorable to
Spain, and that he was opposed to all the
hostile or Jingo manifestations of certain
American politicians. It is also stated that
the treatment of the Cuban question has
much to do with the solution of the
Cabinet crisis; that, General Weyler will
be relieved by General Polavieja; that
General Canovas has been summoned to
the palace by a telegram from the Queen
Regent, and that the actions of the late
Ministers indicate the definite retirement
from power of the conservative party.

From Havana, we are informed that
the Cabinet crisis is causing much an-
xiety, as it is believed that the result
will directly affect the island, great
changes in the policy heretofore pursued
by the home Government being looked for.
Also, that the proposed solution of the
paper money question, by the gradual re-
tirement of the bills forming the war issue,
is not generally approved by the public.

The New York telegram is the most in-
teresting and far-fetched to our mind—
the New York Journal correspondent in
Cuba having telegraphed the opinions of
Mr. Calhoun, the special American Com-
missioner, who left the island on the 3rd
of June for Washington. It seems to us
that the American Government will be
the first party to be made aware of what
the opinions of its Special Commis-
sioner are. However, that gentleman
is said to have stated: that he received
from the Spanish authorities in Cuba
every possible facility for carrying out
his mission in a successful manner, all
statements to the contrary being false.
As to the actual situation in Cuba, he
says that the island has been completely
devastated by both the revolutionists and
the Government troops. That his personal
convictions—after getting much infor-
mation from many well informed and im-
partial observers, both Cubans and Span-
iards—are that Spain can never put down
the rebellion, and that the war will con-
tinue for years, unless stopped by the in-
tervention of the United States. The re-
cognition of the Cubans as belligerents,
would help them float loans and give them
a chance to purchase arms and vessels,
but would not tend to re-establish peace
in the island or to bring to life commerce
with the States. It is too late to talk of
introducing reforms, nine tenths of "auto-
nomist" party are in favor of an indepen-
dent Government, and fifty per cent of the
reform party are with the revolutionists.
The leading members of the Constitutional
Party and the Spanish "intransigents" who
dominate Government councils in
Cuba oppose the granting of autonomy to
the island, while commercial classes in
Havana and the agricultural classes
throughout the island are not only in
favor of it, but also desire the interven-
tion of the United States.

Finally, a telegram from Washington
says that Secretary of State, Sherman, on
being asked by a newspaper man for his
opinion on the Spanish Cabinet crisis and
its effects on the Cuban question, stated,
that Sr. Canovas del Castillo had made
known to the American Government a
new plan for granting autonomy to the
island, much more far-reaching than any
of the previously published schemes, and
that Sr. Sagasta would not have it in his
power to offer greater political reforms.
It is possible that Sr. Sagasta (if he forms
a Cabinet) will carry into effect this
scheme formulated by Sr. Canovas. In any
case the change of the Ministry will
be no obstacle to the continuance of the
negotiations in progress between the Ame-
rican and Spanish Governments for the
securing of peace in Cuba.

If Mr. Sherman said all this, then it is
evident that the United States Govern-
ment is already negotiating for peace in
Cuba, in spite of all the telegrams to the
contrary, and perhaps after a new Ministry
is formed, and after Mr. Calhoun makes
his report to his Government, we shall
be able to get enough correct information
on the Cuban question and its ramifica-
tions to find "where we are at"—if we may
be allowed to use a form of speech com-
mon in the Southern part of the States.

A FAMOUS PARIS FIRE.

The shocking catastrophe of the Rue
Jean-Goujon, which has so suddenly
plunged the fashionable world of Paris
into mourning, recalls not only the burn-
ing of the Parisian Opéra Comique a few
years ago, but also the terrible historic
conflagration which marked the festivities
following the marriage of Napoleon I. with
the Archduchess Marie-Louise. Then, as
now, the dead and the injured numbered
ladies of the highest rank, the greatest
wealth, and the most admired beauty.

It was July 1, 1810. The Austrian
Ambassador, Prince Joseph Schwarzen-
berg, had invited the French Emperor and
his newly-wedded consort to a grand ball
at the Embassy in the Rue du Mont Blanc,
now the Rue de la Chaussee d'Antin. Vast
as was the building—a palace rather than
a mansion, built by the Duke of Orleans,
father of Philippe Egalité, for his mor-
ganatic spouse, the Marchioness de Mor-
tesouff—it was nevertheless not consid-
ered large enough for the fête to which the
whole of the Imperialist aristocracy and
Corps Diplomatique had been invited. Ac-
cordingly, an adjoining mansion was
secured by Prince Schwarzenberg; and in
the grounds between the two buildings a
huge temporary structure was erected.
Wood and marble, oil-cloth, were the
chief materials employed, but the interior
was covered with magnificent hangings
and mirrors, while some thousands of
candles burnt in a profusion of cande-
labra.

Midnight was near at hand. The ball had
just been opened by Marie Caroline
Bonaparte, Queen of Naples and wife of
Murat, and one of the Princesses Schwar-
zenberg, sister-in-law of the Ambassador.
The former had Prince Esterhazy for her
partner; the latter was accompanied by
Eugene de Beauharnais, Viceroy of Italy.
The new Empress Marie-Louise had taken
her seat on the throne, and Napoleon, after
strolling hither and thither, was convers-
ing with Princess Pauline Schwarzenberg,
the Ambassador's wife, when owing to
a sudden draught, some gauze decorating
a rather narrow-covered gallery which
conducted from the Embassy premises to
the improvised dancing-hall, caught fire
from a candle burning there. At first
the accident seemed to be of little impor-
tance. Count von Beheim, by throwing
his hat against the gauze thought that he
had extinguished the fire, and, when an
Imperial chamberlain had climbed a pillar
and torn down such gauze as remained,
it was imagined that any repetition of
the occurrence would be avoided. But it
was suddenly seen that some sparks had
flown up to the drapery covering the
ceiling, and this was too lofty to be reach-
ed. Flames burst forth, travelled with all
speed into the ball-room, spread in two
lines across the ceiling there, and then
rapidly descended the wall-hangings. One
of the first points threatened was the or-
chestra-stand. The musicians had to stop
playing and the dancing abruptly
ceased.

Prompt and repeated efforts were made
by guests and functionaries to extinguish
the conflagration: servants came in with
buckets filled at a cistern in the grounds;
but another gust of storm-wind—it was an
oppressive, threatening evening—swept into
the hall, fanning the flames and carrying
them right round the pile. All the light
laughter and gay chatter which had filled
it but a few moments previously, had
now been hushed; silence reigned. An
anxiety appeared on the faces of many of
the fair women and brave men gathered
there in gorgeous robes and uniforms.
However, although the danger was be-
coming manifest, Napoleon remained su-
perbly calm, and it was only after repeated
urging from the Ambassador, and when he
found all efforts to stop the fire un-
availing, that he at length gave his arm
to Marie-Louise, and with slow measured
steps conducted her away. Prince Schwar-
zenberg escorted the Imperial pair to the
chief entrance of the Embassy as etiquette
required he should do, and then, throwing
off the restraint he had imposed upon
himself, he rushed back to the scene of
the conflagration to save, if possible, his
daughters and his wife.

Etiquette, that most wonderful of fe-
tices, was also in some measure respon-
sible for the circumstances that the great
majority of the guests had remained with-
in the dancing hall. Few, moreover, had
dared to evince alarm when that terrible
Emperor showed himself so impassive.
Yet there is no more distracting danger
than fire, no peril more calculated to make
even brave men lose their wits. And the
surprising calmness which on this occa-
sion was manifested by Prince Schwar-
zenberg's guests so long as Napoleon was
with them is probably the very finest in-
stance of the prodigious influence which
the great conqueror exercised over his
contemporaries.

But no sooner had he gone than silence
and order were followed by a fearful
tumult and indescribable confusion. Varn-
hagen von Ense, who was present, tells us
that the guests ran utter and thither;

distractedly calling those who were dear to them. Moreover, the whole Hall was fast becoming a furnace. The water poured upon the flames was dissipated into vapour, the conflagration spread with a great roar, defiant of all opposition. There were two doors, and in the mad rush to reach them many people were knocked down, trampled upon, injured, and sometimes killed. Biting fragments of drapery fell from ceiling and walls, setting fire to women's hair and skirts. The rafters ignited, and the whole covering threatened to fall in a blazing mass upon the dismayed crowd of Royalties, dignitaries, and warriors, their wives, daughters, sisters, and fiancées, whose wild shrieks rose loud above the threatening voice of the flames.

The Queen of Naples had fallen with her robe on fire. She was saved, however, by Archduke Ferdinand of Austria, known at the time as Grand Duke of Würzburg. From much the same deadly peril Frederick of Württemberg, Queen of Westphalia and wife of Napoleon's brother Jerome, was rescued by her husband and Prince Metternich. And while, all around, the fire continued raging, the heroes of Napoleon's army, the victors of Jena and Wagram, with terrified and dishevelled women in their arms, scrambled at the two outlets of the hall, each battling to save his helpless burden. Amidst the confusion a German medical celebrity of the time, Dr. Dorell, discovered the Russian Ambassador, Prince Kourakine, who had fainted in the crush and fallen on the floor, where he lay roasting in his uniform. As soon as there was a means of egress, French and Austrian officers, rushed to the cistern, brought water in their hats, and flung it over the Prince, while others tore off the splendid diamond buttons of his coat in order that he might be freed from the burning garment.

Meantime Prince Schwarzenberg, after embracing his eldest daughter, whom he had found alive, though grievously injured, was rushing about in a frenzy, striving to discover his missing wife. Mother and daughter had been seen by side when a falling raftor had parted them, and since then nobody had seen the Princess Pauline. It was only on the morning, amidst the heap of carbonised flesh, twisted swords, damaged bracelets, and other articles of jewellery, that a necklace was found which was known to have belonged to her. An emblem, so to say, of her maternal love, it was found to be a small medallion or locket, seven of which contained miniatures of the children that she had already borne her husband. The eighth one as yet contained no portrait, for it awaited that of a child to whom, in the ordinary course of nature, she would soon have given birth.

Among the other victims of that terrible night was the young and lovely Princess de Leyen, who likewise was burnt alive in her costly ball dress. Her head and shoulders were discovered, and on her brow was a deep furrow left by the golden circlet of her diadem which the fierce heat had transformed into a branding-iron.

After sending Marie-Louise to St. Cloud, Napoleon had returned to the scene of the disaster; and, going, to and fro in his familiar long grey overcoat, he directed the steps taken to remove the injured and put out the fire, even as little more than two years later, he superintended the attempts to save burning Moscow. But the Austrian Embassy, like the Kremlin, flamed away in defiance of all human efforts, and only the intervention of the skies put an end to the conflagration. The storm which had threatened throughout the evening at last burst forth. Thunder rolled and lightning flashed, increasing the magnificent horror of the scene, and then, at last, while every building still quaked, the rain rushed down in torrents, and the great blaze subsided as rapidly as it had arisen. And all that night and for many a week afterwards fashionable Paris was plunged in stupor and mourning, even as it is to-day.

Ernest A. Vitzetelly

ASHMEAD BARTLETT'S CAPTIVITY.

MELODRAMATIC DETAILS.

ANOTHER "ANGEL OF PEACE" GONE WRONG.

The story of the adventures of Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett is being pieced together at Athens by the enterprising correspondents of our London contemporaries.

"ALMOST MOBBED ON LANDING." It seems that Sir Ellis assured the *Standard* correspondent that he had no papers or documents in his possession which could be described as compromising, unless it were his son's diary, which was left on the deck of the Greek man-of-war and probably copied. Both he and his son were extremely well treated by the Greek officers. He had seen Prince George, who treated him in a friendly manner, and evidently regarded him simply as a British traveller, who was an idiot to return home on account of important business requiring his presence in London. The Admiral at Volo, however, took a different view, and was the first to hint at the existence of compromising documents. Sir Ellis was conveyed to the Piræus, where he was met by M. Ralli, the Prime Minister. He was almost mobbed on landing, and when he reached the Legation at Athens an hour later, another crowd had gathered to receive him. M. Ralli was most polite to Sir Ellis, but greatly offended his son by chucking him under the chin. It seems that Sir Ellis drove about the city yesterday without being recognised, and leaves to-day for England.

SIR ELLIS'S RIFLES (PRICE 3s. APRICE) CONFISCATED. The *Telegraph* representative saw at the Piræus Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett, his son, and his faithful Turkish servant, whose only claim to Ottoman nationality proved, on closer inspection, to rest on the fact that he wore a turban. The Correspondent had accompanied the Premier. "Entering the cabin, we found Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett seated at the table, his field-glasses slung across his shoulder, his left eye armed with the famous eyeglass; and when he rose he seemed about to make one of his usual Parliamentary speeches. The first thing he asked for was permission to get away as soon as possible. 'I have come to facilitate your departure,' said the Prime Minister. Sir Ellis asked for his arms. They were given to him, excepting the Greek rifles bought for 3s. each at Larissa, which, being Greek State property, were retained. Sir Ellis said he would press the matter next day.

"TOO LATE." The Prime Minister was extremely amiable towards him, and gave him a

curious document in Greek found in his boat, in which all Sir Ellis's popularity with the Turks was set forth, as was also the fact that the Sultan had sent a Pasha to meet him and so forth. It was a naïvely-written affair, and seemed to be a translation from a prisoner of war's diary. The prisoner inquired after the identity of the representative of the *Daily Telegraph*. The Prime Minister, replying, said that I was a friend of the Greeks, and as Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett was a friend of the Turks, equilibrium was established. Sir Ellis said: 'I am a friend of the Greeks, and I now intend to make peace between the two.' The Minister remarked, 'You are too late, for negotiations have commenced.'

THE CAPTIVE'S LANGUAGE. "As the prisoner's French was not quite Parisian, some funny things were said, and generally much bad language passed. Thus the captive assured the Premier that the British diplomatic representative had promised to send an attaché to carry him (Bartlett) from the Piræus to Athens. At this point also he stated that he (Bartlett) was not very distinguished between Hamdi and Hakkî Pasha, meaning that he could not remember which was which. Complaining of the heat, he said it had three times run away with his skin, and that he had thus 'changed three skins in Turkey.'

ROSARIO DIAMOND JUBILEE CELEBRATION.

Her Majesty's subjects in Rosario, assisted by their American Cousins, are on the alert for the forthcoming celebrations. The Committee of the Rosario Young People's Association appear to be first in the field, as they have arranged to give a soirée and concert in the American Church on the evening of the 21st June, and although the tickets are not yet printed or the programme completed, a large number of reserved seats have already been secured.

At the request of the Committee H.M.'s Consul, Mr. H. M. Mallet, has kindly consented to take the chair, and is ably supported by the popular Consul of the United States, Mr. W. E. Baker.

It is to be regretted that the accommodation afforded by the American Church cannot possibly provide seating for the large attendance which has already been promised, more especially so as the Committee of the Young People's Association have unanimously decided to hand over the proceeds of the evening's entertainment to the recently established "Victoria Benevolent Aid Fund."

The Rosario Young People's Association, Literary and Debating Society, held a hat night on Saturday 29th ult., at which there were various opinions aired on different subjects. On Saturday it has been announced that the question of the "Colonization of Africa by the English speaking Race" will be brought forward for discussion, an Englishman taking the affirmative and a Dutchman the negative.

Apart from the nationalities of the debaters the question will be one of great interest to the English speaking people generally. For the Monday evening following (June 7th) Dr. McLaughlin of B. Ayres is announced to deliver a lecture entitled "Jenny Lind" at 8 o'clock prompt. This lecture will be the second of a series of six to be delivered under the auspices of the Young People's Association during the present session, and it is anticipated that Dr. McLaughlin will have a large and appreciative audience.

TIRO FEDERAL.

The holding capacity of Prince George's Hall was taxed to its very utmost last night, when the prizes, gained at the late International Rifle Tournament, were presented to the victorious champions. The large and fashionable assemblage of ladies and gentlemen, all proved the words spoken by General Campos, when he said "that the Tiro Federal was not created by the Government, or by any law, but was the outcome of a grand patriotic feeling that was evident throughout the whole of the Republic, and in which the Argentine woman, and in which the Argentine mother did not by means form the least part."

The hall was very prettily decorated, the arches being filled by festoons of laurels, and the balls hung with the flags of all the nations and republics that had sent prizes. The various prizes were ranged in tiers, and it is quite safe to say, that never at any similar meeting, have such a number of handsome and valuable prizes, been shot for.

General Luis M. Campos presented the prizes, having a gracious word for every one. He was supported on the platform by Dr. Furquin Werneck, Intendente of Rio, the Brazilian Minister, and the members of the Committee of the Tiro Federal. The list of prizes, read in a very distinct voice by Dr. Adolfo E. Orma, is a very long one, and the chief of them are detailed below.

It is worthy of remark that the fourth prize in the "Premio Suizo", a very handsome sword, was gained by Sr. Miguel B. Quirino, who very gracefully presented it to General Campos, President of the Society.

During the evening, the bands of the 8th Infantry and the Police performed outside the hall, whilst a splendid orchestra under the direction of Sr. Furlotti considerably added to the pleasure of the evening.

ARMY AND NAVY. Private J.S. Jimenez, 3rd Infantry. 1 Sergeant A. Cordoba, 3rd Infantry. 2

PREMIO PARAGUAY. Luis Wateau, Silver Crown given by the President of Paraguay. 1 Juan Dighero, Gold Medal 1st class and Diploma. 2

PREMIO CHILE. G. Santiago Aeschbacher, Gold Medal given by the President of Chile. 1

Charles J. Dawney. 2

PREMIO BRAZIL. Marcelo T. de Alvear, Gold Medal, given by the President of Brazil. 1 Adolfo Panizza. 2

PREMIO PERU. Andres del Pino, Bronze Statue, given by the President of Peru. 1 M. T. de Alvear. 2

PREMIO ESTADOS UNIDOS. Furquin Werneck, Gold Medal, given by the Governor of Santa Fé. 1 Francisco de la Vega. 2

PREMIO BOLIVIA. Dr. Federico G. Corbin. 1 Constanicio Larguina. 2

Otto Stess. equal 3

PREMIO BELGICA. Miguel B. Quirino. 1 José Bernasconi. 2

PREMIO ITALIA. Dr. Frederic G. Corbin. 1 Luis Wateau. 2

PREMIO ALEMANIA. Lino Koppe. 1

Enrique Schliepper. 2

CHAMPIONSHIP WITH THE SERVICE RIFLE. Charles J. Dawney, Silver Crown, Bronze Statue "Liberty" given by the Chamber of Deputies, and the Manner Rifle No 6000 given by Dr. C. Pellegrini. 1

Dr. Frederic G. Corbin. 2

INTERNATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP. Sociedad de Tiro del Rosario. 1 Tiro Federal Argentino de B. Aires. 2

PREMIO ESPAÑA. Alberto Martinez. 1 G. S. Aeschbacher. 2

PREMIO ARGENTINA. Teofilo Mendez. 1 Adolf Panizza. 2

PREMIO "SUIZA". Pedro Chiesa. 1

C. J. Dawney. 2

Revolver prizes: Angel Velaz, José Campi, equal.

PREMIO INGLATERRA. Marcelo T. de Alvear, Jorge M. Labary, Andres del Pino, equal.

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CHAMPIONSHIP. Marcelo T. de Alvear. 1 Jorge M. Labary. 2

PREMIO VELOCIDAD. Marcelo T. de Alvear. 1 Dr. Furquin Werneck. 2

CHAMPIONSHIP—ARMY AND NAVY. Ensign Guillermo Jorgensen. 1 Sub-Lieutenant Carlos Paoli. 2

SPORT.

According to cables received to-day by the Telegrafica Telefonica Company the Oaks was won by Linasol, Chelandy second and Fortalice third. The winner must have started a complete outsider, as she has never shown before, whereas the other two have been very consistent performers, Chelandy being the winner of the One Thousand Guineas, and many important 2-year old stakes, whilst Fortalice also distinguished herself on repeated occasions as a youngster. We are unable to give any details of the race, as only the bare placing was cable.

FOOTBALL.

The following will represent the Barker Memorial School v. Banfield Reserve to-day (Saturday), June 5:—

Goal—L. Dodds. Backs—R. W. Rudd, W. A. Campbell. Half-backs—D. Cooman, C. Luchter, F. Hunt.

Forwards—E. Hirst, H. Gibson, S. Dodds, F. Wright, G. Nants.

PALESTRA A.C. v. BELGRANO A.C. The above League fixture will take place at Belgrano to-morrow. Kick-off at 2.30 p.m. Train leaves Retiro Station (F.C.R.) at 1.30.

Palermo will be represented as follows: Goal—G. Potter. Backs—Walter Stirling (Captain) and A. J. Rugeroni.

Half-backs—T. Mullaly, D. Brett, J. McCulloch.

Forwards—A. P. Campbell, J. B. Campbell, E. Potter, J. C. Lea, and R. Levy.

Reserves—C. Knaut, E. Curran. Referee—Mr. J. W. Wilson.

The following will represent Belgrano A.C.: Goal—T. Allen. Backs—T. Moore and H. W. Botting.

Half-backs—H. W. Roberts, H. Roy, T. Ibbotson.

Forwards—W. Harvey, H. Rugeroni, G. Macfarlane, T. Ballock, J. Negron.

Mrs. Witherley has kindly promised to give tea.

ROGUEY FOOTBALL. A match will take place to-morrow at Lomas between the B. A. F. C. and Lomas A.C. Players are requested to catch the 1.15 train, as the game will begin immediately on arrival of same.

The following will represent the B. A. F. C.: Back—G. A. Dale. Three-quarter backs—H. Colson, E. L. Rumbold, R. E. Hunt.

Half-backs—D. King, C. Leitch. Forwards—J. C. Bellamy (Captain), J. Hardman, D. R. Henderson, A. Brodie, D. Campbell, G. Blagden, R. Blagden, C. Mackenzie, M. F. Gilderale.

Reserves—L. Mohr, B. C. Edey. Mr. Corry Smith has kindly promised to be referee.

The match will take place wet or fine. BANFIELD A.C. v. FLORES A.C. The following will represent Banfield in the above match to be played on Sunday the 6th inst. kick off at 2 p.m. sharp.

Goal—F. J. Dawson. Backs—J. Angus, S. R. Wilson. Half-backs—A. Stocks, E. Rugeroni M. Dunn.

Forwards—F. R. Wilson, C. Keslop, A. J. Goode (Capt.), A. Woodwell and C. T. Moffatt.

GOLF. An open handicap tournament will be played on the Rivadavia Links, on Sunday, June 13th.

Entries to be sent to Mr. R. H. Brookhouse, 464 Calle Piedad, not later than June 10th. Fee \$5 m.n.

Play will commence on the arrival of the 9.40 a.m. train at Rivadavia Station.

LOMAS GOLF LINKS.

The following fixtures during June:— On Sunday the 13th. The final of the Series of Monthly Silver Medal Competitions. Entries \$2 each. Close on Friday, the 11th.

On Thursday, 24th. A competition for a "Jubilee" Gold Medal, in commemoration of the Queen's reign. Entries \$3 each. Close on Monday, 21st.

The above competitions are open only to Members of the Lomas Club.

On Sunday, 27th. A match between Lomas and Rosario at Lomas.

On Tuesday, 29th. A match between Lomas and Buenos Aires at Catalinas.

The First Ladies' Competition will take place on Thursday July 1st, for a Silver Star Brooch; Medal play over a course of 18 holes under handicap. Open to all Ladies. Golfers. Entries \$2—close on Monday, June 28th. On Friday July 9th, The Bithell Golf Medal for the Golf Championship of the Lomas Athletic Club, to be won by the lowest scratch score over a course of 36 holes.

The Winner to hold the Bithell Medal as Champion for the year, and to receive as a permanent token of his victory a Commemorative Medal. On the same day a special Prize Competition will take place on these Links, as last year, under the auspices of the St. Andrew's Society of the River Plate. This will be open to members of any recognised Golf Club in this or the neighbouring Republics, under handicap and Medal Play. Further particulars will be announced during the current month. Entries for the competitions above named will be received by C. Alexander, Maipú No. 135, H. A. Livock, 130 25 de Mayo, C. J. Baumgartner, British Bank, J. Majoribanks, Temperley.

HURLINGHAM DRAGHOUNDS. The Hounds will meet at the Station, Hurlingham, F.C.P., on Sunday, 6th June, at 10.45 p.m.

RAILWAY AND OTHER ITEMS. One of the results of the Raising of the Rails between the Retiro and Casa Amarilla Stations to the old Central Terminus has been a decided spurt in the business of the Port Madero and Catalinas Mole railway lines along the docks. This may partially account for the improvement in Catalinas stock since 1st inst. Meantime, some parties are highly incensed at the extra charges that they have to pay in all produce, goods, and animals that are conveyed from any part of the Magdalena Ensenada line to the Northern, and vice-versa for both the Port Railway and the Catalinas branch now get a share of the traffic.

In connection with the above, a subscriber sends us a schedule of what it cost him to get a cow and small calf from a station on the Magdalena Railway to another on the Northern.

To Casa Amarilla along Ensenada line, including a new toll of \$3 over a bridge at port-works 21.15

Few yards of Port Railway. 1.80

Few metres of Catalinas do. 5.80

On Northern line to Matanzas. 8.32

With one charge and another it cost him from Vieytes to Martinez 45.46\$—rather expensive travelling for a cow and calf.

Special attention may be called to the charges of the "bits" of railroad between Casa Amarilla and Retiro, and we wonder if the Government will see fit to alter the exorbitant rates.

The National Revenue Office has forwarded to the Finance Minister a document containing the modifications it believes necessary to make in the Custom Laws for coming year. As for instance, changing the ad valorem into specific.

Another of the modifications proposed is the transference of the 3rd Article of the Estimates Law, which puts an additional tax of 2% on goods subject to import duty, to the Custom House Law instead.

Article 10th, which becomes Article 11th in the project for 1898 tends not only to explain its purpose and make it easier for the Custom Houses to apply it, Article 31, which becomes 32, has for object to prevent unscrupulous merchants cheating the Revenue. The other changes are merely in form.

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EDITOR'S TABLE.

Yesterday was another nothing-new day: excepting the grateful intelligence from Constantinople that peace is as good as signed, as the Sublime Sultan has given up his idea of claiming any Greek territory, and all the rest is as easy as winking at a pretty girl, if any male creature could be guilty of such an atrocity. The visiting of Emperors and Kings will be very brisk in Europe this summer. The Czar is going to Rome to see Humbert, and will on his way drop in on Second to None, who may possibly accompany him to the Eternal City, where there will be a prodigious flare-up for two such welcome guests.

The Scotch Bazaar, that is to be held next week in the Hall adjoining the church, will be something far in advance of a sale of work, as during the interval that has elapsed since the last Bazaar, friends from all parts have been most liberal in their gifts, and specimens of work that are quite unique will be offered for sale. There will be four Fancy Stalls, a Flower Stall, Fish Pond and Refreshment Stall. The Bazaar will be opened on Wednesday next, the 9th inst., at 8 p.m. by the Hon. W.A.C. Barrington. On the following day it will be open from 2 p.m. until 11 p.m., the closing ceremony being performed by the Hon. Mr. Buchanan.

This is such a country for gambling in all ways and shapes that one would not do much harm. "Rain gambling" is universal in India, and the following paragraph from the *Glasgow Herald* explains the very simple game:—"The Legislative Council of Bombay has introduced a Bill to suppress rain-gambling, which has obtained such a hold on India that any combination of Legislative Councils will find it hard to shake off. Rain-gambling is a delightfully simple way of having a little flutter. It was introduced by the Marwaris. All the proprietor of a casino requires is a courtyard with some seats and a rain-tank. His clients back Jupiter Pluvius to make the rain-tank overflow within a certain time. Then they sit down and watch it and the sky. This delicious excitement may last half a day. The main advantage of this form of gambling is its cheapness, and, even more, that it is absolutely straight. There is no chance of "getting at the owner". Jupiter Pluvius cannot be doctored in his stable, or pulled in the straight. Our Anti-Gambling League need not fear the incursion of this insidious vice. The Ring would never offer odds against rain in this country".

Heavens! The number of persons ruined by the Indian famine is said to exceed 80,000,000.

We received the following letter yesterday; but are most happy in being able to tell our kind-hearted correspondent that there was something wrong in our news. On inquiring of a North American subscriber, he told us that Mark had met with great losses in business, but saved something from the wreck. He has a fine house in which he lives quietly, and is far removed from poverty. We hold the two dollars for the British Hospital, as Mark does not want it, and we thank our kind correspondent all the same.

El Caballito,
Buenos Aires, 4th June 1897.

Dear STANDARD,
Your news about "Mark Twain" in today's issue is a puzzle to me, and I can, but suspect that there is something wrong about it. Should the case be as you represent it, then, I say shame our the English talking "educated" community of the world! How can they let a man of "M. T.'s" metal suffer from poverty? It cannot be because, any one of the great New York Journals would have raised the alarm, and a hundred times bigger fortune would have been collected in no time for the author of "A Tramp Abroad" than was recently obtained by Germans inhabiting the globe for Rudolf Falb, an unfortunate literary man of their nationality. I am a poor devil myself and cannot enclose you more than a couple of dollars to start a subscription with. Perhaps there is still time for help, so bestir yourself, good, old fellow; and if you be not of my opinion, give those dollars to your hospital, and oblige yours
Anglo-Teuton.

A London gossip paper says:—Princess Ena of Battenberg, according to the "Woman at Home", is becoming quite a little personality both at Osborne and Windsor. She now usually accompanies her mother to any public functions she may attend, and her fair hair and face and pretty, gracious manners make old people talk of the Queen when she went about as the little Princess Victoria. Princess Ena also resembles her Royal grandmother in being a fearless horsewoman, and loves to ride at full gallop. The Long Walk at Windsor is the Princess's favourite for exercising, and there she may often be seen, dashing along as fast as her sturdy little pony will gallop, her long fair hair waving in the breeze and a panting groom doing his best to keep her in sight."

Another article on our export list, algarrobo blocks for paving. They have been tried to London with such an excellent result that the County Council has given a large order for more of them.

What's the matter with the gas? In many streets now at night the lamps are a mere glimmer, just enough to make darkness visible.

Special Notice.

At the American Church, Sunday, Rev. Daniel McGurk, B. D., will preach at 11 a.m., and at 7.30 p.m. the subject will be "Is a personal knowledge of Christ possible to-day?" (Second sermon of symposium on the subject). Strangers are welcome at all services.

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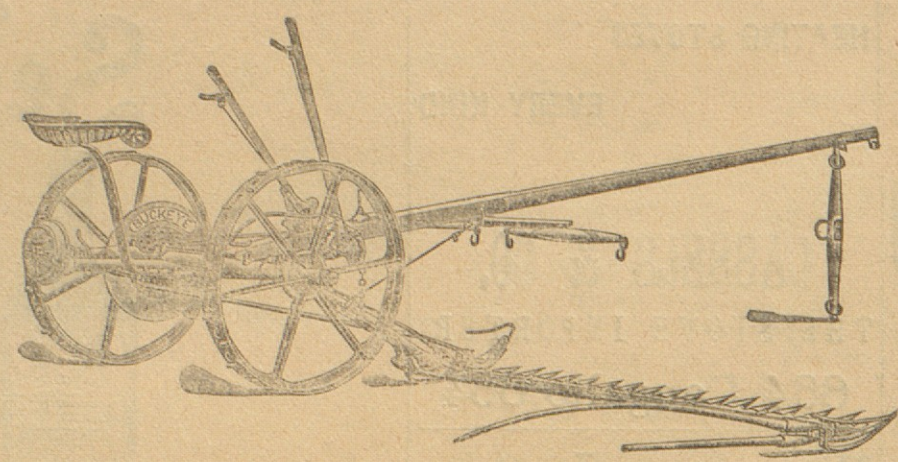
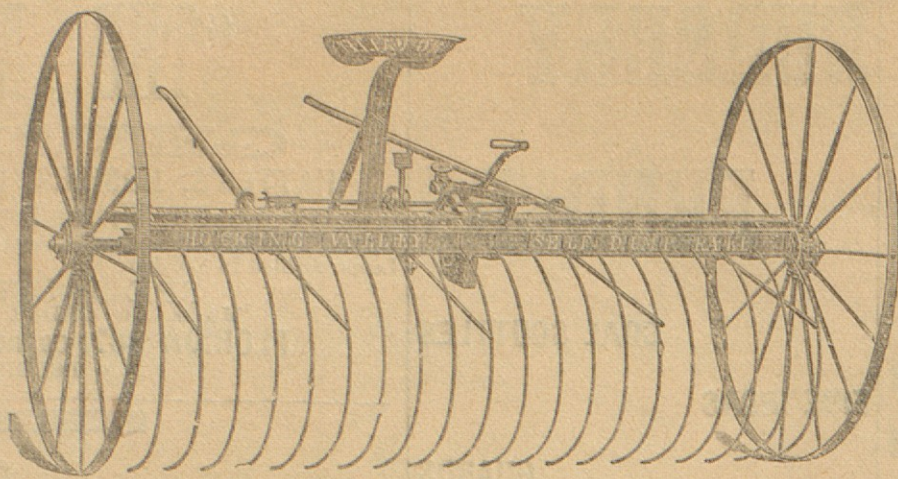
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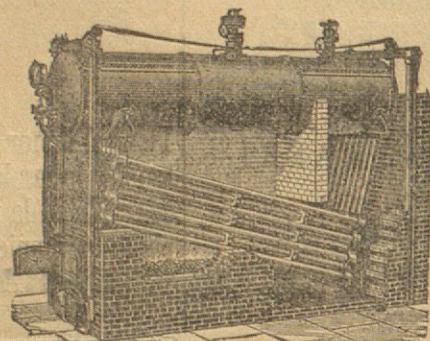
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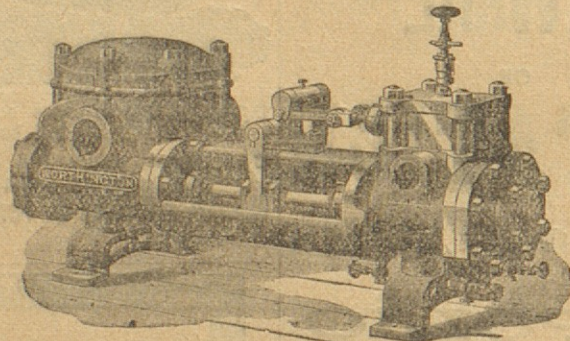


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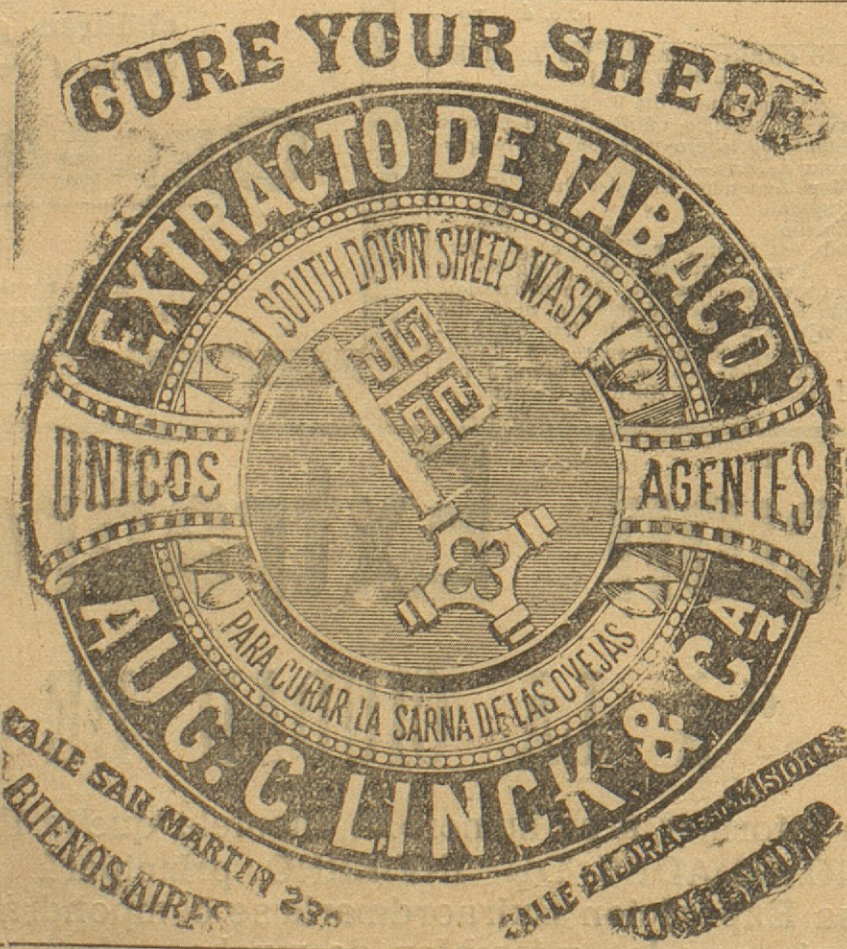
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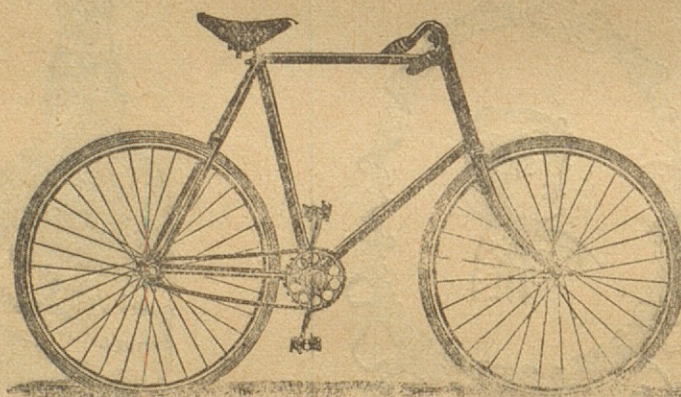


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It might not be correct to say that things are startlingly dull, as the qualification does not seem to fit, hardly applies, but more the less it is precisely the state of the market, which from anemic lassitude is absolutely paralysed. There is almost nothing doing in gold, nothing in stocks, nothing in exchange. So delightfully prolific in surprises is this gold market of ours, however, that we never know when the turn comes, when off it goes banging and whooping on the rise or snapping or rattling on the fall; so we may have a waking-up at any moment, though it is at the same time most improbable. As we have frequently pointed out, there is no speculation, which leaves the market unfettered, and there is great tranquillity in politics, internal and external, in finances, in hopes and apprehensions—in fact in everything. Matters could hardly be duller. When the Provinces, through their Congress representatives, begin to make a stir for arrangement of their Foreign Debts, with the view of saddling the Nation, we may expect some stir, as the willing horse will kick for a certainty. The National Treasury, as it is, is exhausted. Evidently it has quite enough trouble of its own, without courting or admitting more burden, so that if the representatives strive the Executive will stick, the outcome of which may be a parliamentary duel similar to that which enlivened the cords of the fall of 1896. However, the representatives know too well themselves the impoverished state of the exchequer, and as there is no animus or bias against the present Financial Secretary, they may refrain from saddling operations. It is devoutly to be hoped they will. It is a bad principle under any circumstances, and after all, Provincial bondholders, at the most, are barely entitled to the most lukewarm sympathy.

The gold business of the first hour was another 1/2 million one, which is much under the average. Prices from the start betrayed a slacking-off tendency, relaxing gradually and steadily from 296.50 to close at 295.60, which became 295.30 after the hour, with a mere nominal pass for end of month, and a bare point for end July. Stocks were equally dull, the flare-up in Catalinas having fizzled. Some National Gs were done at 83 1/4, Santa Fe Consols at 89, and Spanish Banks at 121. Nothing was done in National Bonds or the various Municipal descriptions.

The following is a summary of the business effected at the first ring to-day:—
\$ 297,228 cash at 296.50-296-296-30-20-50-296-295.50-296-295.90-296-295.80-50-70-80-90-296-295.90-80-70-89-296-295-80-70-60-50-295.60.
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\$ 30,000 June 15th at 296-20-296-296.70-50-296.
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June 4. 1,800 at 7.90.

There is every reason to rejoice that

Dr. Chavarria has been retained in his post

as Chairman of the National Mortgage

Bank, a position he had filled with distinguished ability and admirable discretion.

Later in its presidents, Drs. Pellegrini, Escalante, and Chavarria all having done much towards consolidating the great position and credit it enjoys to-day, and we may say that if all the State Banks had this advantage, one or two actual delinquents might still be carrying sail as bravely and staunchly as ever.

It is rumoured that the G issue of National cedulas will be closed off at 4

millions and the balance of 6 millions tackled on to a new issue of 10 millions mooted and which will of course take the next letter H. We cannot look upon this as very favourable news. If the National series are going to vie with Provincials in appropriating all the letters of the alphabet, we are menaced with depreciation of real-estate values. 'Dead slow' is the best motto Dr. Chavarria could put over his views leaning that way that the market approves of his re-appointment to the chair. Ten millions more or less, people say, makes no difference, but it is not the amount, but the opening of the valve that gives rise to quakms of distrust.

The Nacion publishes a telegram from Philadelphia containing two statements

the accuracy of which must be patent to all. It states that the majority of the delegates to the commercial conference

have not the least idea of the manufacturing capacity of the United States, and that nearly all of them believe that the whole affair will be barren of practical results unless North American merchants

will sell goods on the same terms as the European houses doing business in the South and Central American countries.

We have time and again voiced these same

sentiments under somewhat similar circumstances. All these visits by commissions and delegates must tend to make all parties better acquainted with each other, and the wants and resources of the different countries, but in the end it all comes down to a plain question of business, nothing more and nothing less. On what terms will the North American commercial houses do business with the South and Central American countries? Will they give the same terms as the European houses?

A friend has handed us the *Pueblo* of Asunción in which we find a Pickwickian article on the Caja de Conversión mooted or proposed by Dr. Cañete, the Finance Minister, as the Philosopher's Stone for the introduction of Harmony into the Paraguayan Finances. The article is admirably written, full of attic salt, biting sarcasm and keenest acumen, yet without so moderate in tone and good humoured that it would not kindle a spark in the eye of the thinnest-skinned Financial Doctor that ever framed an estimate or pruned a budget. The writer very truly remarks that the "Caja" is only a name, inasmuch as it will never contain anything solid or tangible, at the most "dirty papers," and that the "Conversion" might be dated for the Greek Kalends. He says the object aimed at is conversion of paper into gold, but how?—by emitting more paper and letting it fly "a la" butterfly on the new system of aerial navigation, and adds that the new institution, lacking all serious elements and resources, must eventually end in an official gambling den. Only in Paraguay, says the *causa*, free land, could we have a Caja de Conversión governed by an "almacenero" or a broker.

Messrs Gibson Bros' valuable produce circular for May, handed round to-day, announces the stock of wool steadily decreasing, the sales, unimportant as they are, being still in excess of arrivals, whilst prices keep up, due to better advices from abroad. This is satisfactory, as was generally considered that the bad inferior parcels remaining over would be totally unsaleable, which is apparently not the case. Wheat, which was weak at the opening of the month, has rallied, and there has been steady inquiry for maize for export to Banda Oriental and Europe. The most important item in the circular treats of the movement of sheep in the Tablada, the sales showing—

13,900 head for export at \$7 to 12.
177,463 head for Freezing establishment at \$4.50 to \$7.
46,047 head for slaughter at \$2.50 to 5.
15,570 head to fatten at \$2.50 to 6.60.
As the arrivals are very limited the stock is low and prices with a very firm tendency, especially for animals suitable for the freezing establishments.

The board of directors of the Sala de Comercio del Once has been constituted as follows:—President, Señor José Echegaray; Vice-president, Señor Julio Calvo; Treasurer, Liborio Novos; Secretary, Esteban Ghiraldini; manager of the Museum, Francisco Ortiz and Vocales Honorarios, Sr. L. Argüenza, Leopoldo P. Diaz and Edelmo R. Goyecheche.

The following stations on the Western railway line were opened to the public yesterday:—Mari Lauquen, at kilometre 472, Drysdale at 494, Cabrito at 523.

Messrs Lahusen and Company have purchased in Bahia Blanca 6,000 metres of land close to the railway station, where they intend erecting a large produce baracca.

The Dingley Tariff Bill is provoking threats of retaliation from numerous quarters. Germany has protested energetically, Argentina, Chile and Canada are endeavouring to pay Uncle Sam back in his own coin, whilst Mexico threatens to retaliate for the prohibitive duty which the Dingley Tariff will impose upon Mexican cattle imported into the States, by mulcting American hogs and packing products, as also American beef, tallow and other commodities. All this is to be decried and deplored, and the Americans are likely to find that by resorting to an excessive system of protection they are injuring not only the import, but the export trade of their country, which of late they have been at such pains to build up.

Mr. D. C. Grant, manager of Mr. Cobos's estancia near Orellano, was welcomed to-day. He states that the locusts caused terrible havoc last year, but that another invasion would cause the bluest of blue ruin. Now that the United States Commissioner, Mr. Brunner, is here, there is less anxiety on the score of the locusts and there is a general conviction that the locusts are not going to have it all their own way next year. That the voracious insects have inflicted terrible losses on farmers is evident from the cries of distress which the wires continue to wait towards us. In some districts the distress is greater than in others. In Zarate for instance the wool-bone owners complain of the farmers' lack of the critical condition of agricultural interests. We are told that things are bad in old Zarate, the wheat and flax plantations giving little or nothing, and on the top of this comes a commercial crisis with restriction of credit and other bitterness of adversity. Then we have locust news from the provinces. Telegrams from San Justo, Cordoba, state that a cloud of locusts has settled in the neighborhood of Mar Chiquita. The colonists are said to be in a nervous frame of mind. Disheartened by last year's reverses, they do not extend the plantations, and now the weather is most propitious, but the Distress Committee have not yet sent the seed required. There is some serious mismanagement in all this, and things have reached such a pass that settlers are borrowing seed on ruinous conditions. In Santa Fe too, the settlers are clamouring in vain for seed. A correspondent in Esperanza, the municipal colony in the wheat province, calculates that of the settlers there 68% are without seed for the wheat plantations, and that of the 270,000 hectares sown, something like 150,000 he uses for want of seed. There may of course be some exaggeration in all this, but the fact of distress cannot be denied. And where there is no distress, there is indolence, which is almost as bad, being as a rule the precursor. A correspondent from Concepcion del Uruguay, for instance, states that he has just returned from a trip through the country districts. He found abundance of rich grasses, which have sprung up after the recent rains, and the cattle seemed to be in splendid condition. But as for men there were none to be seen, except in the "pulperías" or drinking shops. This is an old story, and shows that in spite of the great progress of the country things have not changed so much after all. The old Adam is still there.

The recent rains have been general, and have greatly improved the crops. In

Casares, Bahia Blanca, Tandil and Ayacucho the grasses are springing splendidly and cattle are fattening. In Bahia Blanca, which is about the luckiest town in the Province, they are all in great glow over the prospect of the opening of a branch of the London and River Plate Bank.

Mr. Hunter Dunn, representative of Glasgow firms, has just arrived from a trip to the West Coast: he is very favourably impressed with Buenos Ayres, which as a city is very much ahead of Valparaiso and Santiago. Mr. Dunn is of opinion that things here are on the mend.

The Sugar Trust, or Sindicato Azucarero, have prevailed on the National Railway Board to summon a meeting of railway managers to consider the advisability of reducing freights. There is nothing too good for these sugar men. They appear to require every imaginable prop and support to enable them to avoid losing money.

Mr. Brunner, the North American entomologist, whose services have been secured for this country, thanks to the good offices of our popular United States Minister, Mr. Buchanan, is already hard at work. Yesterday, accompanied by Mr. James, whose animosity against the locusts has earned for him the esteem of the farming, agricultural and commercial communities, he visited the premises of Gubba & Co., the ant and locust-killers. It is Mr. Brunner's intention to repair to Carcaraña with a view to carry out certain experiments with the delicate constitution of the locust.

We warmly compliment our genial colleague *El Diario del Comercio* on the publication in to-day's issue of the result of an interview with Professor Brunner, who has furnished our colleague with some very valuable information in regard to the extinction of locusts. Our colleague has indeed scored an Editorial triumph. Our colleague's interview is of such vital interest that we shall publish it in our next issue for the benefit of our readers.

It was reported to-day that one of the banks had shipped by the packet \$30,000 in specie to Rio, a continuance of the drainage caused by the lack of exchange on Brazil. It seems there is no apprehension entertained of immediate shipments to Europe, as there are bills over and rates steady. This we may attribute primarily to the fact that requirements are very meagre, and secondly to a steady business in produce, as, if there is much doing, whatever movement there is goes on internally, wheat, hides and sheepskins all having a good market. It must not be taken for granted, however, that gold shipments are at an end, but at all events for the moment the bills offering are quite sufficient for the demand. We quote rates unaltered at—

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The sales in the produce market this morning embraced 70,000 kilos of wool, 225,000 kilos maize and 480,000 kilos wheat.

The National Mortgage Bank cremated yesterday 2,762,000 paper, 303,200 gold in coupons and 1,511,350 paper and 155,550 gold in Cédulas.

The commercial cables give Eudines a suspicion weaker at 86 1/4, combed B wool at 3 3/4 fcs. and inseed at 28s. per steamer.

The "mayorista" failures are not over yet apparently though we feel convinced that the list is fast drawing to a close. Yesterday Messrs Roques, Viella and Co., Venezuela 529 applied for moratorium, showing assets \$2,209 gold, and 240,362 paper against liabilities \$2,209 gold and \$113,225 paper. The outstandings due to the firm which we suppose will scarcely stand severe pruning, are returned at 157,121.

We have so often alluded to the doyen of our buccho colleagues, *La Agricultura*, as up to date and reliable, that we must naturally give full weight and credence to its echoes from the wheat-growing centres, voicing the urgent need for seed for the next harvest. This proves that the action of the Executive in applying to Congress for supplies on this head was well considered, and it is to be hoped that the help accorded will not only be sufficient but timely. The farmers of course are on the broad of their backs, and needs must when the devil drives. This is protection of a kind that will stand the strain, as it does not mean propping up a puffed, bloated industry at the expense of the consumer. The last number of the *Agricultura* is an admirable one, showing that our colleague is always abreast with the times.

Don Santiago Kenny, leading produce broker and consignee, has sold during the week:—

kls	from	\$
6000 fine wool	San Pedro	6.60
20000 "	Los Toldos	7.00
3000 c/l	Salv. Maria	7.00
2500 "	San Vicente	6.20
1000 borregos/l	Lobos	6.70
2000 belly wool	Varin	3.00 to 3.20
500 dry hides	Louisa	9.30
250 "	Moron	9.30

Live stock
500 steers from Navarro \$ 93.00
187 " " C. de Arico 90.00
60 " " Salto 56.00
75 " " Monte 49.00
40 cows " " 31.00
65 calves " " 11.00
1000 m/wethers " Velasquez 9.00
500 " " Pergamin 9.40
600 " " Lomas 8.60

Another very dull ring and no change in positions. The gold market was stagnant; only 334,100 dollars changed hands and of this a moiety was for to-morrow, the rate opening and closing at 295.20, which brings the oscillation down to a very fine point. For end of month there was no interest and no pass. In stocks Catalinas began to spurt again, some round 25c changing hands, the quotation advancing 20 cents to 7.80, though after the hour 7.80 buyers were quoted. Some National G's were done at 83.50 and Old Gas at 195 1/2.

The following is a summary of the business effected in stocks and shares at the second ring:—

\$	June 5th at	June 5th at
174,100	June 5th at	295.20-30-10-295-
295.20-40-30-50-50-20-295-295		
20		
90,000	June 30th at	295.20-295-295-
20-30-295		
5,000	June 15th at	295
65,000	June 31st at	296-296.50-296
334,100		

National Hypothecary Cédulas—
June 5. G 13,800 at 83.50.
Municipal Loan 1897—
June 5. 1,000 at 76.50.
French Bank—
June 5. 75 at 76.00.
Internal Bonds 1891—
June 5. 1,000 at 76.00.
Gas Primitive—
June 5. 150 at 195.
Catalinas Mules—
June 5. 4,500 at 760-50-70-80-90-3.
June 30. 1,800 at 8.00.

BANKING EXCHANGE RATES

BANKS

At 90 DAYS

At SIGHT

Gold

Paper

Gold

Paper

London

England... 47.12 16. 47.14 15.78

France... 4.66 1.65 4.68 1.65

Italy... 5.19 1.67 5.18 1.65

Spain... 6.85 2.14 6.82 2.11

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London and Brazilian

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The London Bank draws at the following rates:—

At sight

Gold

Paper

New York... 1.06

Valparaiso... 1.06

Rosario... 1.06

Montevideo... 1.06

Buenos Aires... 1.06

La Plata... 1.06

500 Pesetas... 1.06

In another column we publish list of passengers leaving by Pacific packet Orellana.

With regard to the Catalinas re-construction scheme, about which some people still profess considerable doubt we are in a position to say that the business is as good as done, the Debenture Holders having agreed to accept 4% on the Debentures and Preference shares instead of 5% as they originally proposed, which of course makes a considerable difference for the ordinary stock, placing it on a much better footing. We understand there are some minor details to be arranged still, but nothing of importance, so that the business may be accepted as done. We consider it a very happy agreement for both parties and have very little doubt that once the whole concern is turned into an English company the value of the ordinary shares will be nearly double the present quotation. There is lots of money in London for any industrial enterprise here, so long as the moving of the lever rests with the capitalists themselves.

The following was the specie movement yesterday:—

From Montevideo... silver \$ 700

" Concordia... gold " 12000

" Paysandu... " 40

To Mercedes... " 40

" Paysandu... silver " 4

Governor Udaondo had another chat to-day with the National Finance Minister.

The upshot of it was that the Minister told the Governor to call again next week, with a list of the "tangible" securities the Province can offer the National Treasury in the business.

The Custom-House receipts:—

\$ paper \$ gold

Imports and exports to-day... 82,681 26,713

Returns of the year to date... 24,721,299 4,231,643

Difference in favour of 1897... 120,207

The Minister of Finance has fixed the price of gold for payment of Customs duties at 295.50 for Saturday, June 4th.

SALES AND AUCTIONS.

Messrs. Funes, Lagos and Co. sold the following horses belonging to Mr. Juan Ortiz de Rosas:—

\$ Buyer

1 sire for 1,550 Ernesto Frias

1 horse " 320 Beato

1 " " 300 Elchequay

1 " " 270 P. Varona

1 sire " 550 Madariga

CENTRAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Arrivals—110,376 kilos of wool, 1721 bales of sheepskins, 1068 of cowhides, 97 of potro, 54 bundles of hair, 28 casks grease, and 1410 horns.

To-day's sales:—

Wool—17,000 kilos lana cruz Lincoln at 6.30, 6.50, 6.20, 5.80, 6.00, 6.10, 6.20, 6.30, 6.40, 6.50, 6.60, 6.70, 6.80, 6.90, 7.00, 7.10, 7.20, 7.30, 7.40, 7.50, 7.60, 7.70, 7.80, 7.90, 8.00, 8.10, 8.20, 8.30, 8.40, 8.50, 8.60, 8.70, 8.80, 8.90, 9.00, 9.10, 9.20, 9.30, 9.40, 9.50, 9.60, 9.70, 9.80, 9.90, 10.00, 10.10, 10.20, 10.30, 10.40, 10.50, 10.60, 10.70, 10.80, 10.90, 11.00, 11.10, 11.20, 11.30, 11.40, 11.50, 11.60, 11.70, 11.80, 11.90, 12.00, 12.10, 12.20, 12.30, 12.40, 12.50, 12.60, 12.70, 12.80, 12.90, 13.00, 13.10, 13.20, 13.30, 13.40, 13.50, 13.60, 13.70, 13.80, 13.90, 14.00, 14.10, 14.20, 14.30, 14.40, 14.50, 14.60, 14.70, 14.80, 14.90, 15.00, 15.10, 15.20, 15.30, 15.40, 15.50, 15.60, 15.70, 15.80, 15.90, 16.00, 16.10, 16.20, 16.30, 16.40, 16.50, 16.60, 16.70, 16.80, 16.90, 17.00, 17.10, 17.20, 17.30, 17.40, 17.50, 17.60, 17.70, 17.80, 17.90, 18.00, 18.10, 18.20, 18.30, 18.40, 18.50, 18.60, 18.70, 18.80, 18.90, 19.00, 19.10, 19.20, 19.30, 19.40, 19.50, 19.60, 19.70, 19.80, 19.90, 20.00, 20.10, 20.20, 20.30, 20.40, 20.50, 20.60, 20.70, 20.80, 20.90, 21.00, 21.10, 21.20, 21.30, 21.40, 21.50, 21.60, 21.70, 21.80, 21.90, 22.00, 22.10, 22.20, 22.30, 22.40, 22.50, 22.60, 22.70, 22.80, 22.90, 23.00, 23.10, 23.20, 23.30, 23.40, 23.50, 23.60, 23.70, 23.80, 23.90, 24.00, 24.10, 24.20, 24.30, 24.40, 24.50, 24.60, 24.70, 24.80, 24.90, 25.00, 25.10, 25.20, 25.30, 25.40, 25.50, 25.60, 25.70, 25.80, 25.90, 26.00, 26.10, 26.20, 26.30, 26.40, 26.50, 26.60, 26.70, 26.80, 26.90, 27.00, 27.10, 27.20, 27.30, 27.40, 27.50, 27.60, 27.70, 27.80, 27.90, 28.00, 28.10, 28.20, 28.30, 28.40, 28.50, 28.60, 28.70, 28.80, 28.90, 29.00, 29.10, 29.20, 29.30, 29.40, 29.50, 29.60, 29.70, 29.80, 29.90, 30.00, 30.10, 30.20, 30.30, 30.40, 30.50, 30.60, 30.70, 30.80, 30.90, 31.00, 31.10, 31.20, 31.30, 31.40, 31.50, 31.60, 31.70, 31.80, 31.90, 32.00, 32.10, 32.20, 32.30, 32.40, 32.50, 32.60, 32.70, 32.80, 32.90, 33.00, 33.10, 33.20, 33.30, 33.40, 33.50, 33.60, 33.70, 33.80, 33.90, 34.00, 34.10, 34.20, 34.30, 34.40, 34.50, 34.60, 34.70, 34.80, 34.90, 35.00, 35.10, 35.20, 35.30, 35.40, 35.50, 35.60, 35.70, 35.80, 35.90, 36.00, 36.10, 36.20, 36.30, 36.40, 36.50, 36.60, 36.70, 36.80, 36.90, 37.00, 37.10, 37.20, 37.30, 37.40, 37.50, 37.60, 37.70, 37.80, 37.90, 38.00, 38.10, 38.20, 38.30, 38.40, 38.50, 38.60, 38.70, 38.80, 38.90, 39.00, 39.10, 39.20, 39.30, 39.40, 39.50, 39.60, 39.70, 39.80, 39.90, 40.00, 40.10, 40.20, 40.30, 40.40, 40.50, 40.60, 40.70, 40.80, 40.90, 41.00, 41.10, 41.20, 41.30, 41.40, 41.50, 41.60, 41.70, 41.80, 41.90, 42.00, 42.10, 42.20, 42.30, 42.40, 42.50, 42.60, 42.70, 42.80, 42.90, 43.00, 43.10, 43.20, 43.30, 43.40, 43.50, 43.60, 43.70, 43.80, 43.90, 44.00, 44.10, 44.20, 44.30, 44.40, 44.50, 44.60, 44.70, 44.80, 44.90, 45.00, 45.10, 45.20, 45.30, 45.40, 45.50, 45.60, 45.70, 45.80, 45.90, 46.00, 46.10, 46.20, 46.30, 46.40, 46.50, 46.60, 46.70, 46.80, 46.90, 47.00, 47.10, 47.20, 47.30, 47.40, 47.50, 47.60, 47.70, 47.80, 47.90, 48.00, 48.10, 48.20, 48.30, 48.40, 48.50, 48.60, 48.70, 48.80, 48.90, 49.00, 49.10, 49.20, 49.30, 49.40, 49.50, 49.60, 49.70, 49.80, 49.90, 50.00, 50.10, 50.20, 50.30, 50.40, 50.50, 50.60, 50.70, 50.80, 50.90, 51.00, 51.10, 51.20, 51.30, 51.40, 51.50, 51.60, 51.70, 51.80, 51.90, 52.00, 52.10, 52.20, 52.30, 52.40, 52.50, 52.60, 52.70, 52.80, 52.90, 53.00, 53.10, 53.20, 53.30, 53.40, 53.50, 53.60, 53.70, 53.80, 53.90, 54.00, 54.10, 54.20, 54.30, 54.40, 54.50, 54.60, 54.70, 54.80, 54.90, 55.00, 55.10, 55.20, 55.30, 55.40, 55.50, 55.60, 55.70, 55.80, 55.90, 56.00, 56.10, 56.20, 56.30, 56.40, 56.50, 56.60, 56.70, 56.80, 56.90, 57.00, 57.10, 57.20, 57.30, 57.40, 57.50, 57.60, 57.70, 57.80, 57.90, 58.00, 58.10, 58.20, 58.30, 58.40, 58.50, 58.60, 58.70, 58.80, 58.90, 59.00, 59.10, 59.20, 59.30, 59.40, 59.50, 59.60, 59.70, 59.80, 59.90, 60.00, 60.10, 60.20, 60.30, 60.40, 60.50, 60.60, 60.70, 60.80, 60.90, 61.00, 61.10, 61.20, 61.30, 61.40, 61.50, 61.60, 61.70, 61.80, 61.90, 62.00, 62.10, 62.20, 62.30, 62.40, 62.50, 62.60, 62.70, 62.80, 62.90, 63.00, 63.10, 63.20, 63.30,

Church Services.

Passionist Fathers' Chapel,
Calle Cardada y Estados Unidos.
Hours of Services on Sundays and Festivals.

October 1st to April 1st—Mass at 5.30, 6.30, 8.9 and 10 a.m., April 1st to Oct. 1st Mass at 6.30, 7.8, 9 and 10 a.m.

Week days—Sunday 1st—Mass at 5.30, 6.30 and 7 a.m.; May 1st to Sept. 1st, Mass at 6.30, 7 and 8.30 a.m.; Rosary (Sermon on Sunday) and Benediction at 8 p.m.

Confessions every day from sunrise to sunset.
The Passionist Fathers attend sick-calls of English-speaking Catholics in all parts of the city and suburbs.

Belgrano Anglican Church, St. Salvador's.

6th June—White Sunday.
8.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
9.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
9.30 a.m. Sunday School in the Italian Hall.

10.30 a.m. Matins and Sermon.
4 p.m. Children's Service.
8.30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

Protestant Church, Quilmes, Calle Almirante Brown.
9.30 a.m. Sunday School.
Service at 10.45 p.m. and 8 p.m., by Pastor Geo. Smith.

Anglican Church of St. John Baptist Calle 25 de Mayo.
White Sunday—June 6th.
8.00 a.m. Celebration of Holy Communion.
10.00 Sunday School.

11.00 a.m. Matins and Sermon by the Rector.
12.15 p.m. Second Celebration.
4.00 a.m. Choir Boys Practice.
8.00 p.m. Evensong in Spanish and Sermon by the Rev. J. Wilkes.

Barracas English Institute, 628 San Antonio—
2.00 p.m. Sunday School.
7.30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Calle Belgrano 575.
Divine Service at 11 a.m., Rev. J. W. Fleming, B.D.
Sunday School at 12.30 p.m.

Divine Service at 8 p.m., Rev. J. W. Fleming, B.D.
Barracas Presbyterian Church—Calle Santa Dominga 822.
Sunday School at 10 a.m.

Divine Service at 7.30 p.m., Rev. A. R. Howell, M. A.
St. Martin's Church, San Martín—Calle Buenos Aires y La Plaza.
Divine Service at 4.35 p.m., Rev. J. W. Fleming, B.D.

St. James's Church, Campana—Service at 11 a.m., Rev. A. R. Howell, M. A.
Anglican Church of All Saints' Quilmes—

White Sunday.
7.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
8.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
10 a.m. Sunday School.

11 a.m. Matins, Holy Communion and Sermon.
2 p.m. Dutch Service in Boca.
4.00 p.m. Children's Flower Service.
8.00 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

Holy Trinity Church, Lomas de Zamora—
With Sunday—June 6th.
8 a.m. Celebration.
10.30 a.m. Festal Matins, Sermon and Celebration.

2.30 p.m. Sunday School.
7.45 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
Anthem—'If ye love me'—Singer.
St. Peter's Anglican Church, San José de Flores—

June 6th—White Sunday.
8.00 a.m. Celebration of the Holy Communion.
11.00 a.m. Matins.
12.00 p.m. Celebration of the Holy Communion.

3 p.m. Children's Service.
8.30 p.m. Evensong.
Boca Mission Hall, 1050 General Brown, Boca.

11 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Class.
Sunday Evening Service at 7 p.m. Preacher Rev. A. W. Greenman.
Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, Tuesday Evening at 8 o'clock.

Gospel Temperance Society meetings, on 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month, commencing at 8.15 p.m.
English Day School for Boys and Girls. Very low fees. For poor children free.

The Gospel Hall—550 Calle Salado, Barracas.
Sunday 2.00 p.m. Sunday School.
Sunday 3.00 p.m. The Lord's Supper.
8 p.m. Gospel Meeting.

Tuesday 8.00 p.m. Bible Study.
Saturday 3 p.m. Gospel meeting.
The Gospel Hall, 1042 Calle Santiago del Estero 1042—Services in Spanish.

Sunday—8 p.m. Gospel Meeting.
Wednesday—8 p.m. Gospel Meeting.
Y. W. C. A.—A Prayer-Meeting will be held by the Y.W.C.A. at 2.30 p.m. on the 2nd Saturday of each month at the United Home, 1238 Victoria.

All members are invited.
Puerto Madere—in the School-room, between Docks 3 and 4.
Wednesday afternoons at 3.00—Juvenile Temple.

Thursday evenings at 7.30—Good Templar Lodge.
Sunday mornings at 10.45—Sunday School.
Sunday evenings at 6.00—Preaching Service.

Sailors in Port are cordially invited to the Services. Bibles and Hymn-books are provided.
First Methodist Episcopal Church 718 Calle Corrientes—

11.00 a.m. Preaching by Rev. Daniel McGurk, B.D.
12.30 p.m. Sunday School.
7.30 p.m. Preaching by Rev. Daniel McGurk, B.D.

Prayer Meeting Thursday at 8.15 p.m.
Lomas Methodist Episcopal Church—10.30 a.m. Preaching by Rev. W. F. Rice.
Sunday School at 12 m.

7.45 p.m. Preaching by Rev. W. F. Rice, Ph. B.
Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p.m.

LADIES who are suffering from an internal complaint should give the world-famed Wild Olive and Myrtle Tonic a trial. The great advantage of this remedy being that the use of instruments and medicines are avoided. Sole manufacturer, Victor Medical Association, South Beach, Indiana, U.S.A. Samples and prospectus can be had free on application to Mrs. M. Gowan, Midwife and Agent for the Argentine Republic, 1335 Rivadavia. Union Tel. 3170. 659 a14 xp

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Weekly Steamer in combination with the steamer Gleng, which sails from Corrientes for Paraná and Guaymas, and the steamer Aurora which sails from Asunción for Villa Guaymas (Alto Paraná).

The splendid steamer Salado, Capt. F. Lohdy, will leave the Paraná on Sunday, 6th June for Asunción, Corrientes and intermediate ports at noon leaving cargo and passengers at a very moderate price.

Line between Buenos Aires and Montevideo—Sailing every day except Sunday, with the splendidly appointed steamers Venus and Eolo.

For freight and passage apply to the Central Agency 25 de Mayo 1462. 632 5m1x

NOVENA OF MASSES.

A Novena of Masses for the eternal repose of the souls of the late ELENA and CAROLINE FAHY will be celebrated in the Church of the Passionist Fathers, Calle Cardada, commencing on Tuesday, June 1, at 8.30 a.m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend. 100 2 8

A YOUNG MAN, disposing of a small capital, is anxious to enter into business in camp with a partner willing to work, and who could also guarantee a small sum. Please address X. Y. Z., this office. 195 8 5

TO LET Furnished room for bachelor. Charcas 844. 233 jnd 7

TO LET only to English people, a small and very comfortable house, English style, 4 rooms, bath room, kitchen, Gas, W. O. water service. Rent \$90, Suipacha 1403. 234 jnd 7

On the 4th June, at Cangallo 2036, the wife of William Moore, of a son.

On the 4th June, at Calle Suipacha 845, Marian Miller Tucker, widow of the late Thomas Tucker, Esq., aged 75 years.

Funeral will leave the house for the Chapel at 3 p.m. to-day (Saturday). May 23rd in Salto, of convulsions of the heart, John, fourth and dearly beloved son of the late Edward Casey, of Arroyo Luna, aged 26 years.

The deceased received the last rites of the Catholic Church from Rev. Fr. Cipriano, C. P., and the Cura José Carlos. Deeply regretted by his afflicted mother, brothers and sisters.

SHIPPING NEWS.

Friday, June 4th.	Wind	Channel	Depth in the
7 a.m.	N.	20.4 feet	
9 a.m.	"	21.0 "	
12 m.	"	20.0 "	
3 p.m.	"	19.4 "	
5 p.m.	"	19.5 "	

The following vessels arrived in the Roads to-day and were visited by the Port Doctor:—

German s.s. Harzburg from Bremen and intermediate ports, with general cargo, Captain T. Ruterbusch, 1394 tons register, to V. Freden.

North American bq. Carrie Winslow from Portland, Captain Montgomery, 826 tons register, to J. and J. Drysdale.

Brit. bq. Lizzie Curry from Yarmouth, with lumber, Captain J. L. Waley, 497 tons register, to J. and J. Drysdale.

Brit. bq. Limeha from Marseilles, with general cargo, Captain R. Collins, 991 tons register, to J. and J. Drysdale.

French ss Colombia from San Nicolas at Dock 2 to fill up.

German ss Harzburg from Roads at Dock 2 to discharge.

North American bq. Kremelin from Roads at Riachuelo to discharge.

Italian ss Attivita from Dock 1 for Genoa with produce.

Argentine ss Mercuro from Dock 1 for Rio Janeiro with produce.

British ss Kelvingrove from Dock 1 for Europe with produce.

British bq. Cuba from Riachuelo in ballast for Rosario to load.

The Labrador and Venus from Montevideo and Tridente from Salto and intermediate ports will arrive to-morrow at the South Basin.

The Helios is expected on Sunday next at the South Basin from Montevideo and will leave on Monday for Salto and intermediate ports.

Deck of German steamer Rudeisburg to load in June to July, B.A. for Calais, steers at \$5.10s. O. and wethers at 13.25 francs each.

Parcels for steamers—
300 bales of wool, B.A., to Bremen at 8 francs.

100 ditto, B. A., to Antwerp at 8 francs.

100 bales of hair, B.A., to Antwerp at 8 francs.

250 pipes of tallow, B.A., to Dunkerque at 15 francs.

200 tons of maize, San Pedro to Genoa at 5 francs.

120 tons of bones, B. A. to Havre at 20 francs.

1000 to 1200 tons of iron B.A. to Savona at 12 1/2 francs.

GENERAL.
R.M.S. Clyde from Southampton is expected at La Plata to-morrow. Her mails come up by river steamer.

The following steamers are expected in the Roads to-morrow: Italian ss Buenos Aires from Montevideo in ballast, British ss J. W. Taylor from Antwerp and London with g.c. and Westburn from Newport with coal.

The Brit ss. Bramham from Rosario to fill up here is aground at Martín Chico, as well as the Imperial Prince and the two sailing-vessels mentioned yesterday.

The Imperial Prince will begin lighting her cargo to-morrow. The British ss. Zephyrus, from Zarate for La Plata is still aground, and is also lighting her cargo.

The British ss. Ariosto was unable to leave to-day in ballast for Rosario, as she is aground at her moorings in the Riachuelo.

French steamer Espagne passed Santa Cruz, Tenerife, yesterday, all well.

The German ss Scandia arrived yesterday at Genoa from this port all well.

Clean bills of health were given to-day to the Norwegian ss. Braestberg for Montevideo, Julia Park for Liverpool and Brazilian Humayta for Montevideo.

Fears are entertained as to the fate of the Italian bark Giuseppe P. which left Mobile for B. Aires on 3rd of February last with lumber. She is out 120 days, but there is no news of her.

The captain of the steamer Harzburg, which arrived to-day from Antwerp and Bremen, reports having spoken on the voyage the Swedish bark H.M.B.I. bound for La Plata, on 19th May, which the German steamer Patagonia is going North on 23rd May, and the British bark Beloua bound South on 31st of May.

British ss Gellivara is expected here from Villa Constitución to fill up.

British ss Elstree Orange will sail to-morrow for London with produce.

La Plata Port.

DEPARTURES.
British ss Wileysike for Deptford with grain and live stock.

French do Cordillere for Bordeaux with passengers and produce.

GENERAL.
The R.M.S. Clyde from Southampton will arrive here to-morrow.

The steamers Europa and Skerryvore from Cardiff with coal for Mudd and Co. are expected here.

Mr. Miranda has positioned the Sub-Prefect of this port for exemption of Patent on the boats he is building for the Club de Regattas.

British ss Wileysike has sailed for Deptford with 138 steers and 1182 wethers shipped by Sidney. The steers weigh from 450 to 750 kilos.

The total shipment of live-stock from this port in May was:—3692 steers and 17467 wethers, in 13 steamers with total tonnage 3287.

French mail steamer Cordillere sailed to-day for Bordeaux with 84 1st, and 188 steerage passengers, and the following cargo: 11,368 bags of bran; 511 bales of sheepskins; 2,790 bags of maize, 2571 dry hides, and 700 bales of jerked beef for Rio. She also took for Rio \$90,000 sterling.

Lloyd's and an insurance agent signed a joint protest to-day before a notary against the destruction of the Norwegian bark Formica on the high seas by order of the captain of the Duchessa di Genova, on finding her abandoned, and a danger to navigation.

Rosario Port.

ENTERED.
British ss Dowgate from San Lorenzo with cereals to fill up.

DEPARTURES.
British ss. Mexican Prince for London with produce.

Norwegian bq. Zulu with hay for Cape Town.

Montevideo Port.

ENTERED.
British ss. Clyde from Southampton.

Do do Highland Chief from Liverpool.

Do do Westburn from Newport.

ss. Yraia from Rio Janeiro.

Bq. Sieben from Pensacola.

Do Scottish Chief from Cadiz.

M A I L S.

5th.
Orellana for Brazil and Europe at 3 p.m.

8th.
Duchessa di Genova for Canaries and Europe at 12 m.

9th.
Wittekind for Canaries and Europe at 1 p.m.

Erausquin y Cano.

Martillero Eduardo F. Erausquin
Casa de Remate-Peria Rural Permanente
En MERLO (P.C.O.)

4º Remate FERIA.
El Domingo 6 de Junio a las 12 del día tendrá lugar el 3er remate feria con un notable lote de hacienda vacuna, lanar y yeguada de los siguientes establecimientos:

Estancia "El Tránsito," de los Sres. Real Villanueva y Hnos.—250 novillos mestizos gordos.

Establecimiento "La Chozza" en General Rodríguez del Sr. Luis G. Saavedra—100 novillos mestizos gordos, 10 terneros muy mestizos.

Establecimiento "La Invernada" en Marcos Paz, Sr. Ventura Pizarro—60 novillos para invernar, 10 potros Shropshire 7/8 pura, 1 padrillo puro raza Shetland.

Establecimiento "La Acacia" en el 9 de Julio, de Benigno A. Martínez—200 vacas de carne gorda, 50 vacas gordas.

Establecimiento "La Carlota" en Marcos Paz, del Sr. R. Zemborain—15 novillos especiales para exportación.

Invernada de Juan Ratti—200 novillos gordos.

Establecimiento de Pro. Baes en Merlo—15 novillos especiales para exportación.

Establecimiento del Sr. Manuel H. Torroa en Arrecifes—50 novillos mestizos gordos.

Establecimiento del Sr. José Acuña en Mercedes—70 novillos grandes para invernada.

Cabaña "Los Pinos" del Sr. Marcelo Paz—120 terneros puros por cruzamiento de 3/4 a 4 años de edad.

Establecimiento del Sr. Roberto Cano—200 novillos para invernar, 59 id gordos para matadero 20 buyes gordos y de trabajo, 10 ternos puros por matización, 10 potros mestizos de tiro liviano, 2 potrillos puros de carrera.

Establecimiento "Hueta" del Señor Carlos M. Casares—80 mulas mestizas.

Establecimiento de Juan Bocca—3 yuntas caballos de tiro.

Cantidad de haciendas de varios.

El 4º Remate-Feria tendrá lugar el Domingo 20 del corriente Junio con un gran lote de haciendas en general, habiendo entre otras 1400 vacas al corte, 400 novillos mestizos para invernar y 100 ternos mestizos, procedentes del Establecimiento "La Invernada" en Juarez.

NOTAS.—Para ir al Remate los señores salen de la Estación Once a las 6, 6.30, 7, 8.30, 9, 10.30 y 12 m.

La Casa se reserva el derecho de alterar la forma y condiciones del remate.

Para este remate se recibirán las haciendas solo hasta las 8 a.m. de la venta.

Por más datos a nuestro Escritorio Central, Defensa 127. 1520 81 6

El Sábado 5 de Junio a las 1 p.m. tendrá lugar el 2º remate en el local de la "Sociedad Rural" en Palermo donde podrán verse los animales dos días antes de la venta.

Por catálogos y más datos a nuestra casa San Martín 254. 1581 m5 j5

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